

CITY OF BERKLEY
BEAUTIFICATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF MEETING
Wednesday, June 26, 2024
6:30 P.M. 2nd Floor Public Safety Building

PRESENT: Dan Mihaescu (Chair)
Jeremy Coan
Taylor Beach
Gary Elrod
Lynn Khadra
Jennifer Smittenberg
Ethan Fogle (new member)

IN ATTENDANCE: Greg Patterson (City Council Liaison)

EXCUSED Stephen Bard
ABSENCES Anela Mihaescu
Mishall Mariam Moin (new member)

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AGENDA

1. Approval of Agenda
2. Approval of Minutes 5-22-24
3. Landscape of the Year
4. Adopt a Garden Program
5. Smoke Trees for Friends Park
6. Community Center Mural
7. Other Items
8. Adjourn

Meeting was called to order at approximately 6:30.

- 1. Agenda for the Meeting was approved**
- 2. Minutes of the May 22, 2024 Meeting were approved**

3. Landscape of the Year

The members discussed properties considered for the Landscape of the Year. The following properties were approved:

3066 Catalpa	960 Harvard
3696 Kipling	1349 Oxford
2880 Oakshire	1940 Mortenson
3084 Griffith	1853 Gardner
1358 Eaton	

4. Adopt a Garden Program

Dan presented the idea of instituting an Adopt a Garden Program. The members discussed knowledge of such programs in other cities and agreed to research programs and discuss findings and establish objectives at the next meeting.

5. Smoke Trees for Friends

Dan discussed the status of the Smoke Trees for Friends Park and the Committee considered the timing of the planting. The Committee agreed to plant the trees in the fall.

6. Community Center Mural

Dan shared the most recent information regarding the plans for a mural on the Community Center.

7. Other Items

No other items were discussed.

Next Meeting scheduled for July 31st at the 2nd Floor of Public Safety Building at 6:30 pm.

Meeting adjourned.

Minutes prepared by: Stephen Bard (Secretary), July 27th 2024.